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**REMARKS**

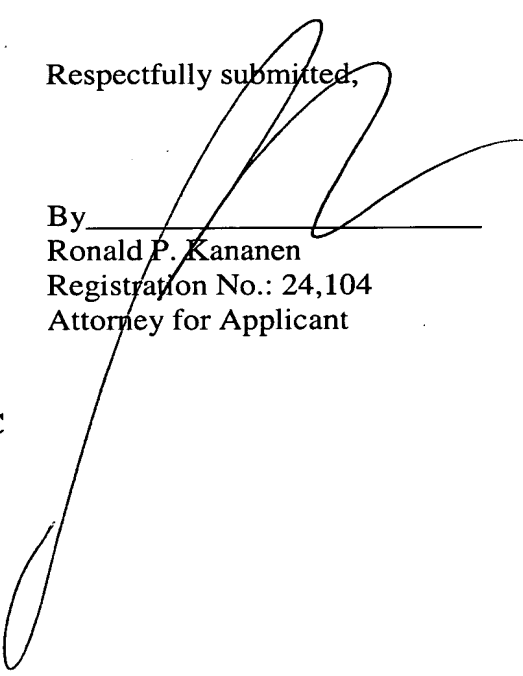
This communication is a full and timely response to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment dated July 9, 2004, for which one month was allotted. The Notice contends that the Amendment filed on June 25, 2004, did not contain a complete list of all the claims. In response to this contention, a complete list of all the claims, including canceled claims, as preferred, is presented.

Should there be any questions regarding the application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0013. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Dated: July 15, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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